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SUBJECT: STATUS OF TANAKA GOVERNMENT

FOR PETREE FROM SHERMAN

1. WE HAVE BEEN INUNDATED HERE WITH PRESS SPECULATION AND RUMORS, SOME OF THEM EMANATING INDIRECTLY FROM EXCELLENT SOURCES, THAT TANAKA GOVERNMENT MAY COLLAPSE SOON, PERHAPS EVEN BEFORE PRESIDENTIAL VISIT. WHILE WE ARE INCLINED TO VIEW THIS SPECULATION AS HIGHLY EXAGGERATED AT THIS TIME WE HAVE URGENT AND IMMEDIATE NEED FOR EMBASSY'S BEST ASSESSMENT OF STATUS OF TANAKA GOVERNMENT AND DOMESTIC POLITICAL SITUATION. INGERSOLL

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